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Honorable Commissioner for Patents

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November 6, 2007

AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the office action of August 9, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Listing of the Claims begin on page 2 of this Amendment.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 11 of this paper.